on bacteriology.

He and Dr. Williams asked each other a good many questions, but they were so entirely technical to the medical proso entirely technical to the the commit-fession, that the laymen on the commit-tee did not think they were germane to

he issue. Dr. Williams resumed, and read again

from his report.

Dr. Oppenhimer said in answer to a question, that he thought physicians had reported births more promptly since the special committee had subjected its re-

"It seems to me, a few more children

"It seems to me, a few more children have been born recently than heretofore," be said, by way of further reply.

Dr. Williams and Dr. Garcin sot into another wrangle over the probable pepulation of Richmond. Mr. Pollard finally interfected a remark that this had nothing to do with the question, and Dr. Williams resumed his reading.

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The report declared that there was no "systematic compulsory vaccination" in the city. This Dr. Garcin denied. He said that six years ago all persons were required to be vaccinated, and that this had been kept up when necessary since. He declared this statement in the report was untrue. Dr. Williams insisted that the statement was true, and he proceeded to read.

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Dr. Garein declared that as a practicing physician he would never permit a health inspector to pass upon a diagnosis made by himself, and here another colloquy took place between him and Dr. Williams on the much discussed subject of germs. Dr. Williams contended that bacteriology was a distingt science, and that diphtheria germs could not be distinguished from others by medical physicians not specialists in bacteriology. Dr. Garcin came to the front again and challenged the statement in the report that there is no campalga against tubercules in this city, and this provoked another warm running debate between himself and Dr. Williams, who went on finally, at the suggestion of Mr. Woodburn.

Give All His Time to It. "

Dr. Oppenhimer said in a pleasant vien, that Dr. Williams had practically called for his resignation as president of the Board of Health. Dr. Williams protested that he had not, but that he thought the chief health officer should devote all his time to the work of the department.

The two assured each other of their cordial feelings and they appeared to be the best of friends personally and professionally.

Mr. Pollock asked Dr. Williams if Prof.

the best of friends personally has presented fessionally.

Mr. Pollock asked Dr. Williams if Prof. Sedswick, of Boston, who recently lectured here, had suggested the composition of the proposed new Beard of Health. And the answer was in the affirmative: "What do the doctors in Richmond think of this plan?" asked Mr. Pollard.

"I am informed they think vary favorably of it," replied Dr. Williams. The ordinance was now taken up and considered, and the members of the Board of Health were invited to make any statement they desired.
"I have no objection to the ordinance,"

ment they desired.

"I have no objection to the ordinance," said President Oppenhelmer, "If you gentlemen think it proper.
"I will say, however, that health conditions in lichmond are good, and that the death rate is not high.
"I agree that there should be a sanitary expert, and would welcome his appointment."

"Coming back for a moment to health conditions, I say, if the truth were told to-night, I believe Richmond would compare favorably with any city in the country."

ry.

"If we appoint a sanitary expert, he should be put to work at once on the negro population, where the greatest amount of disease originates.

Dr. Oppenhiner pointed out that all persons coming here for treatment and dying, and non-residents dying here, are charged up to Richmond, and this makes the death rate appear higher than it really is.

the dean rate appears really is.

Dr. Oppenhimer and Dr. Williams questioned each other at some length.

"What disposition do you make of convicts dying in the penitentiary?" asked Mr. Ellett.

"We charge them to Richmond," answered Dr. Oppenhimer.

"This thing is a question of a new Health Board," continued Dr. Oppenhimer.

"It seems to indicate that you are dissatisfied with the one you have. If this be true, vote for the ordinance, if not, give your present board the means to employ a sanitary expert and additional help, and they will —tinue to do their best to serve you fathfully."

He thought \$10,000 per year would be sufficient, and in answer to a question by Mr. Satterfield, he said he believed if the present board should be given the money and authority necessary, they could accomplish a great deal more than the proposed new hoard.

Mr. Bair Favors.

Blair spoke warmly for the ordi-and declared that the composition board had practically been en-by the members of the present

onerd.

Mr. Blair's amendment, allowing the board to employ diagnositions on per diem compensation, was called up, and Mr. satterfield said be thought the compiltee was heading toward the other expresse, and growing "extravagantly ren-

on the health board should act as disg-nostition. Mr. Pollock offered a substi-tute that a sanitary expert be added to the present composition of the board, and give each equal power in the dispo-sition of matters relating to the depart-ment, and give the full board absolute authority to manage the entire depart-He moved that the city attorney be instructed to bring in such an office.

Ordinance Adopted

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Mr. Pollock said the original ordinance provided for the creation of innumerable officers, and he got into a warm wrangle with Messrs. Dahney and Blair as to what the ordinance actually provided on the subject. He praised the special committee for its work, and said the report would be of untoid value to the city in arriving at some improved pian for the management of the department of health, Dr. Williams defended the ordinance, and said it was the result of consultation with the finest sanitary authority in the country. He and Mr. Pollock debated the proposition in a brief colloquy, each contending carneady for his views.

The substitute of Mr. Pollock was lost—ayes, 10; noes, 10.

The annument of Mr. Blair, providing for the appointment of diagnostitions, was adopted.

Mr. Dahney moved to amend by making three of the members doctor instead of one, The other two under his amendment shall be a civil ondineer and a hustiness mm. The amendment was adopted.

The ordinance as amended was adopted.

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Commonly cause pimples, boils, hives, cezema or salt rheum, or some other form of crup-tion; but sometimes they exist in the system, indicated by feelings of weakness, language loss of appetite, or general debility, without causing any breaking out.

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Forger John B. McMillan Declares Himself to Be Britt A. Morey, of Lexington, Ky.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) GRIEENSBORO, N. C., May 24.—At the county convict camp, two miles from Hight Point, this morning, while the con-

Hight Point, this morning, while the convicts were being taken to work, three
hundred yards distant at a skirt of woods
midway, four negroes and a white man
broke from ranks to the woods.

The white man who was the ringleader, convicted here for forgery, as
John B. McMillan, was shot before he
got fifty steps by Guard Carl Horney. The

got fifty steps by Guard Carl Horney. The rifle ball plerced his body, the man dying in the hospital at High Point eight hours later.

Pursuing the fleeing convicts through woods, three guards made efforts to sight them. A half mile of pursuit brought sight of Convict Jesse Tomlinson to Hor-ney. He had reached the railroad track and was running in plain view one hun-dred wards distant. Horney called and was running in plain view one hundred yards distaint. Horney called "Hatt." Receiving a prafane response from the negro, who continued to run. A shot from the rifte pierced his heart, bringing instant death.

The other convicts have not been captured. The dead negro was serving a years' sentence for highway robbery. The

years' sontence for lighway robbery. The oscapes were in for larceny.

McAillan camé here last fall, representing himself very wealthy and related to the senator of that name. He pretended to purchase a large manufacturing plant, giving checks to the amofflied thirty thousand dollars in payment on banks in the Far West. Before these checks came back as forgeries he had succeeded in securing several hundred

on banks in the Far West, Be for the dischecks came back as forgeries he had
succeeded in securing several hundred
dollars on bogus checks by endorsement
from friends new-found, and wis becoming a social ilon when he was arrested and placed in jail, and at his trial
pleaded guilty.

During the long agony of his wound
to-day, he refused to give his right
name or his place of reseldence, as he
had always done. He said his secret
should die with him, but ten minutes
hefore death, he told in strict confidence
to a friend who had come from Greeysboro that his name was Brett A. Morey,
that he had a father and two sisters
living to Lexington, Ky., that he did
no tdesire them to know of his whereabouts or others to know his name and
he wished to be buried by the county
in High Point.

it. High Point.

A hospital attendant heard the confession and repeated it. Morey directed that a lot of diamonds, a gold cross and caman and handsome watch he had placed in a bank deposit in High Point be given to John A. Hodgin, of Grenesboro, who had not only betriended him, but who had done so after having been swindled by him.

Hodgin has telegraphed Lexington to if the story of identity is true, and o, and if his family desires, will have body forwarded there for burial.

FRATERNAL PARADE

**S Celebration at Charlotte.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHARLOTTE, N. C., May 21—Charlotte's cerebration of the one hundred and thirty-first anniversary of the significant for the Aleckienburg Declaration of Independence came to an end to-hight.

The big parade of fraternal orders, was led by thousands of United Commercial Travelers, Woodmen of the World, Juniors and other fraternal organizations.

After traversing the principal streets, he parade disbanded in Vance Park, here E, Yates Webb, representative from vereed a splendid address, the afternoon, on The Commercial Travelers, North Carolina District.

Charlotte fire department gave a superb exhibition of fire fighting, among other things, rescuing women and children from a turning two-story building erected for

the purpose.

At Latta Park the regular troops gave their final exhibition drill and afterwards struck camp, returning to their

Not the least interesting feature of the afternoon programme was the old-fash-loned horseback tilting tournament at Latta Park. The gallant knights were gayly attred, and all the participants were young men from the county. The first prize of \$25 was won by Mr. Mack first prize of \$25 was won by Mr. Mack Riley, who crowned the Queen of Life and Duty, Miss Jennie Henderson. The coronation ball followed in the eyening. Before leaving camp for Fort Meyer, Va. Troop G. Thirteenth Cavalry, was presented with a check for five hundred dollars, which was divided among the troops who have done so much to make the celebration a success. Both carnivals were in full blast

BURGLARS AT WELDON.

Many Farmers Plow Up and Replant Cotton.

Suicide of An Aged German in Hotel at Alexandria.

Hotel at Alexandria.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ALEXANDRIA, VA. May 24.—Fred Sopnelder, a German about eighty years of age, was found dead in the Hotel Fielsehmann at I o'clock this afternoon. The chambermaid, who was cleaning up the fourth floor, noticed a strong smell of gas, and notified the proprietor, who broke into the room, and found the man lying on the bed, dressed only in his underdothing, and two gas-jets turned on to the failest extent. The bed-clothing was not disarranged, and he had apparently laid own quietly on the bed after turning on the gas. He was dead when found, and had apparently been so for several hours.

The man arrived at the hotel yesterday afternoon, and, after registerffig bis name as above, but without giving his place of residence, paid for a room, and went directly to it, where, it is thought, he immediately turned on the gas-jets. The transom and keyholes were suiffed with paper to prevent the escape of gas.

The infortunate man was dressed in an ecomparatively new suit of grey serge, and wore a black felt hat. He was about six feet in height, and wore a full white beard. A revolver and 438.50 in money was found in his packets, besides a half of a silver dollar, which bere the date of 1879. A German paper was found in the room.

Justice Pelton viewed the remains, and

Justice Petton viewed the remains, and decided that it was a clefr case of suicide, and ordered that the body be turned over to Demaine & Son to be prepared for burial.

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THE CONFERENCE | ELKS OUTING ON CHARITIES

Closes a Special Session With Tenets of the

DREWRY PRESIDENT

Roanoke Chosen As Next Meeting Place-I ocal Organization.

Excellent Addresses on

Timely Subjects.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch).

PETERSBURG, VA., May 24.—The final session of the Conference of Charities and Correction was devoted to the discussion of county and municipal institutions and the care and training of abandoned and neglected children.

Rev. J. T. Mastin, of Henrico county, read an excellent paper on "Some Needs of the Almshouses and Jails of Virginia," in which he emphasized the importance of eliminating political influences from the management of such institutions.

George B. Davis, of Richmond, secretary of the conference, read a splendid paper, in which he omphasized the destrability of striking out that name almshouse and calling it "Home," and also the prevention of the admittance of men and women able to work.

On the subject of prison reforms Judgo James M. Mullen, of Petersburg, disagreed with Mr. Mastin as to the removal of politics from the management of prisons and reformatories, urging that we keep them in politics, but strive to improve the politics, "The great object of prison reforms is to minimize the necessity for prisons," said the judge. Jails should be only places of detention for persons awaiting trial, and no person should be kept in juil in idleness. Judge Mullen deprecated the system of paying jailers pro rata fees for the keeping of prisoners and spoke of much graft in the management of jails in big cities. He made the important suggestion that the fixing of punishment of prisoners should be done by thy judge and not by the fars that the results of prisoners and one of paying in the pure of prisoners should be done by thy judge and not by the judge and not

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penses were less would soon visit the city to study factory problems.

The subject of abandoned and neglected children was discussed by W. W. Gillette, of Richmond, who spoke on "The Negletful Parent," and by Rev. W. J. Maybee, of Richmond, superintendent of the Children's Home Society of Virginia. One of the best speeches of the meeting was the address of Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, of Washington, D. C., on "Dependent and Delinquent Children."

The conference elected the following officers: President, Dr. William F. Drewry, of Petersburg; vice-presidents, Rev. C. S. Blackwell, Norfolk; John M. Higgins, Richmond; Dr. Charles W. Kent, University of Virginia; Colonel L. W. Lane, Jr. Williamsburg; Mrs. William Plicher, Roanoke, George B. Davis, of Richmond, was elected secretary, and Robert Gilliam, of Petersburg, succeeds Dr. Drewry as treasurer. The following oxecutive council was chosen; J. W. Williams, Courtland: S. P. Waddill, Henrico county, Rev. J. T. Mastin, Miss Kate Pleasants Minor, and George B. Davis, all of Richmond; Jr. P. Pettylohn, Lynchburg; Mrs. W. J. W. Atkins Petersburg; John G. Osborne, Radford, Robert Gilliam, Petersburg; John L. Roper, Norfolk, Mr. Pettyfohn and Mr. Osborne are the new members.

Roanoke was chosen as the place for next year's meeting, the time to be decided upon by the executive council. After the adjournment of the conternence this afternoon, two meetings for purposes closely allied with its work were held by people interested in chartable organizations. Mrs. Barrett addressed a meeting of ladies at Tabb Street Presbyterian Church on the subject of the work of the Florence Critznden and gentiemen at A. P. Hill Camp Hall took the first steps for the formation of a charity organization. Was empowered to apport the committee of one or more representative strom each charitable associations in Petersburg, R. O. Egerton was elected chairman, and, on motion of nobert Gilliam, was empowered to apport at a meeting to be called by Mr. Egerton.

The Petersburg Tobaco Association to day

The Petersburg Tobacco Association to-day adopted resolutions on the death of its honored associate, Mr. B. R. Vaughan, expressing its sincere sorrow in its great loss and extending its sympathy to the family.

MEMORIAL DAY. Captain John Lamb the Orator at Alexandria.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ALEXANDRIA, VA., May 24.—Representative John Lamb, of Richmond, delivered the oration at the Confederate Memorial Day exercises held here this

afternoon.

The graves of the Confederates in the nearby cometeries were decorated this morning, and at the conclusion of the speaking the veterans marched to Christ Church, where the graves there were decorated and a volley fired by the Alex-

THE WEATHER.

Forecast: Virginia—Fair Friday and Saturday: light south winds, North Carolina—Partly cloudy Friday and Saturday; light to fresh east winds.

Conditions Yesterday.

Lowest temperature yesterday
Mean temperature yesterday
Normal temperature for May
Departure from normal temperaturem, Thermometer This Day Last Year

Highest temperature yesterday ...

Conditions in Important Cities.

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Miniature Almanac.

Governor Swanson Speaks on the

SEVENTEEN EXALTED RULERS

The First State Body of This Order in Country Was Organized.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, VA., May 24.—This was Elks' day at Pine Beach, and several thousand Elks and their friends were there, the big Elk of the occasion being no less a personage than Governor Claude A. Swanson, who addressed the people shortly before 3 o'clock this afternoon. The tenets of Elkdom were made the subject of the Governor's remarks.

Governor Swanson, accompanied by a committee of Norfolk Elks, left here this afternoon at 1 o'clock on the private car Old Point.

Governor Swanson was presented by B. B. Semmes, of Newport News. He returned to Richmond this evening.

The Newport News Lodge of Elks conceived the idea of an Elk day for the order at Pine Beach, and in connection with the celebration, it was decided to form the State body.

After the Governor's speech and the sporting events of the day had been concluded, a meeting was held in the Pine Beach Hotel by the representatives of taking steps looking to the formation of a State lodge.

Hichmond, Petersburg, Suffolk, Newport News, Portsmouth and Norfolk were represented. The meeting continued until to-night. Two members of each of the lodges represented were constituted a committee to draft a lere to be sent to each lodge in the State, requising that they send two delegates to a meeting to be held at Elks Home, Richmond, on June 15, for the purpose of perfecting the State organization.

T. D. Hicks and C. Evansen will represent Richmond at the meeting, and Myer Sall and W. C. Goodsey, Petersburg.

CARDWELL SCORES

(Continued from First Page.)

the Fort Worth Presbyterian Church and Dr. Caldwell as its pastor.

It must be remembered that the orthodoxy of Dr. Caldwell had to do with the case only in the most remote way in the action of the assembly, the question being that of the action of the Synod of Texas in this matter. Therefore the action of the assembly in no sense commits 1c or the Presbyterian Church to the peculiar views of this brother. It means that Dr. Caldwell is a member of Presbytery and, the pastor of the First Church of Fort Worth, Texas. If, however, the Presbytery thinks him unsound and out of harmony with his church, it has the perfect right to try him for heresy.

The Rev. G. H. Cornelson, of North Carolina, was nominated as secretary of the new executive committee on schools and colleges.

Closer Relations.

A majority and a minority report from the Committee on Closer Relations and the articles of agreement were read. An effort to postpone discussion of the entire subject until the next General Assembly was voted down. The majority report, favoring the articles of agreement, was presented by Dr. A. L. McElway, chairman of the special committee. The minority report was made by Dr. Eugeno Daniel. The matter was taken up only in a preliminary way to-day, and was made the special order for 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

A committee of fourteen ministers and thirteen laymen, with Rev. E. M. Green as chairman, was named by the moderator for the trial of the complaint of Dr. S. S. Laws against the Synod of Virginia.

EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY.

Governor Glenn Pardons Two and Refuses Two.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

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RALEIGH, N. C., May 24.—Governor them to-day granted two pardons and refused two other applications. The pardons are to Eugene Scales, sentenced from Wayne county in the to twenty years in the penitentiary for second

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Mrs. D. A. Jenkins.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LURAY, VA., May 21.—Mrs. Dollie A.

Jenkins, aged about 70 years, vidow of
A. R. Jenkins, a former well-known citizen of this county, died yesterday at her
home near Alma, nine miles south of
Jurray, Sha had been sick for several
years. She is survived by several children.

Miss Edna Rock.

Ravine in Spotsylvania.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., May 24.—

While the Fifteenth New Jersey veterans were visiting the battlefields of Spotsylvania county to-day, a carriage containing a half dozen of the visitors was thrown off the side of a bridge over a stream, a distance of twolve feet, caused by one of the horses shying.

Mr. Christopher Ehni, of Raritan, N. J., was quite badly hurt, as other occupants of the vehicle feel upon him. They escaped with only a good shaking up.

Mr. Ehni received several severe scalp wounds, besides other injuries. Dr. Ward, of New Jersey, rendered medical attention at the time.

Mr. Ehni was hurried to the höspital here, where he is resting comfortably to-night, and it is thought he will be able to return home with the others Friday night. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WARSAW, VA., May 24.—Mr. Horidge
Balderson, aged thirty years, of Mount
Holly, Westmoreland county, died inst
night at 10 o'clock, after an illness of
only three hours. He is survived by a
widow and two children.

CONWAY.—Died at the residence of her parents, OLADYS MARION CONWAY, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Conway, of Swansboro, aged 10 months and 21 days.

Go, little pligrim, to thy home, On yonder blissful shore; We miss thee here, but soon will come Where thou has gone before. HER PARENTS.

SEELMANN.—Died at 11:30 A. M., in the seventy-sixth year of her age, MRS. KATE SEELMAN. Funeral from St. Mary's Church FRIDAY MORNING at 9 o'clock.

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Not the least interesting feature of the

til midnight and the carnival of lights along the main streets closed in a blaze of glory, the most ambitious and most successful celebration of the Declaration that has been yet attempted.

The splendid success of this celebration means its inauguration as a permanent annual feature.

WELDON, N. C., May 24.—Burgiars last night broke into the hardware store of the Pierce-Whitehead Hardware Company and carried off \$500 worth of fine cutlery, razors and pistols.

Many of the Halifax county farmers have plowed up whole fields of cotton injured by frost and replanted.

A correct statement of losses and insurance by the new Scotland Mill fire its: Total loss, \$110,800; insurance, \$55,200.

TURNED ON THE GAS.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

AT PINE BEACH

No Reflection.

No Reflection.

The assembly, at the afternoon session, directed the sending to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Des Moines, the following telegrams:

"Greetings. We regret your impression that we have charged your home mission board or its officers with making or authorizing financial inducements to churches to change ecclesiastical relations. We did not mean to make such charges. We had hoped impartial investigation might be made of statements that it had been done by workers in the field, and if found true, a remedy suggested."

Closer Relations.

Neuralgia and Anaemia are Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

For nearly a generation the people of this country have known Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, during which time proof of thousands of cures by this remedy has

Acquitted of Serious Charge.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PHOEBUS. VA., May 24.—Charles

Snell, who has been held for the grand
jury of the Circuit Court the past five
months on a charge of improperly treating a child by the name of Pritchard,
was to-day released, the grand jury finding no bill against him. There has
been a strong feeling of sympathy for
Mr. Snell during his confinement, and
his many friends rejoice at his release. Military Election. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
STAUNTON, VA. May 21.—At an election held to-night by Company A. Seventy-re-ond Infantry, Second Lieutenant Joseph P. Ast was elected first Heutenant, and Sergeant Charles P. Serrett was elected second lieutenant,

OBITUARY. Mrs. Ellen Freeman. Mrs. Ellen Freeman, mother of Mr. R. T. Hill, died Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. She was in the sixty-ninth year

Acquitted of Serious Charge.

RAN OFF THE BRIDGE.

New Jersey Veterans Thrown in

Ravine in Spotsylvania.

Mr. Melvin O. Tibbetts. The body of Mr. Melvin O. Tibbetts, who died Wednesday at his residence, 14 North Thirtieth Street, will be taken on the 12:05 train to Boston for inter-

Funeral of Mrs. Seelman,
The funeral of Mrs. Kate Seelman, who
died Wednesday, will take place this
morning at 9 o'clock from St. Mary's
Church. B. B. Vaughan.

B. B. Vaughan.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PETERSBURG, VA., May 24.—Mr. Benamin Bosseau Vaughan, one of the best known and most highly esteemed genjamin Bosseau Vaughan, one of the best eleven o'clock last night at his residence in Market Street, after an illness of several weeks from heart disease.

Mr. Vaughn was in his sixty-scond year, and was a native of Dinwiddle county, but had resided in Petersburg since boyhood. He was educated at the Virginia Military Institute, and in the Civil War, served in the Amelia Cavalry.

Mr. Vaughan, Hill and Company, a long established leaf tobacco house, and was for many years president of the National Bank. He was an elder in the Tabb Street Presbyterian Church, and was actively associated with church work. Mr. Vaughan married Miss Dunn Stephenson, of this city, who survives him with two daughters, Mrs. Hamilton Seabury, and Miss Martha D. Vaughan, both of this city. The funeral of Mr. Vaughan will take place from Tabb Street Presbyterian Church, sand will take place from Tabb Street Presbyterian Church, Saturday morning at floclock.

Mrs. Linda Blanton,

(Special to The Times-Disparch.)

ASHILAND, VA., May 24.—Mrs. Linda. Blanton died suddenly last night, after having spent the day, seemingly in her usual health and spriits. About 11 o'clock she went to lock up the house for the night, and not returning in a reasonable time her son went to look after her, and found her prone upon the floor.

A doctor was summoned immediately who said that she had been dead about the infinitest from apoplexy or heart trouble. Mrs. Blanton was the widow of the late L. P. Blanton, a prosperous lumberman of this county, who died about four years ago. She is survived by two daughters and three sons. Misses Stuart and Estelle, and Messrs. Weldon, Russel and Lowis Blanton.

She was a woman of lovely Christian character, and will be greatly missed by her family and friends.

Foneral services will be held at Duncan Memorial Church by the side of her husband.

Powell Snowden. Mrs. Linda Blanton,

Powell Snowden.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ALEXANDRIA. May 24.-Mr. Powell
Snowden died this morning at the residence of his prother-in-law, Rev. Dr. S.

A. Wallis, the dean of the Episcopal
Scminary of Virginia, on Seminary Hill,
Fairfax county, where he had been ill
for several months. Mr. Snowden was a
son of the late Edgar Snowden, who was
for forty years the celtor and owner of
the Alexandria. Gazette. He is a brother
of Hubert Snowden, the present editor
of the Gazette and the president of the
City Council. Powell Snowden.

City Council.

Mr. Snowden had been connected with
the office work of the Cazette for many
years. He is survived by three brothers and several sisters

and several sisters.

J. T. Anthony.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PETERSHURG. VA. May 24.—Mr.

Junius T. Anthony died inst evening at
his home on Rose Street from the effects of a stroke of paralysis suffered
several days ago while at work at the
Dunlop Tobacco Factory. Mr. Anthony
was fifty-four years old. and is survived
by his wife, five sons and one daughter.

Mrs. Frank Roberts.

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PETERSBURG, VA., May 24.—Mrs.
Frank Roberts died this afternoon at
her home on Hailfax Street, after a long

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illness, Mrs. Roberts was twice mar-ried, and is survived by her husband and three children—Mrs. David flawkin and Messrs, Otts and Waiter Nunnally. Mrs. D. A. Jenkins.

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WARSAW, VA., May 24.—Miss Edna
Rock, aged twenty-three years, daughter
of A. C. Rock, of Lyel's, this county,
died has night at 10 o'clock, after an
illness of several months.

H. Balderson.

Funeral from residence at 10 o'clock SATURDAY MORNING. Interment in River View.

FREEMAN.—Died May \$3d, 7:30 P. M., in the sixty-ninth year of her age, MRS. ELLEN FREEMAN, mother of R. T. Hill.
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